

LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION.

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MESSAGE

FROM THE

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES,

TRANSMITTING

A REPORT FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE COVERING A  
STATEMENT SHOWING THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS  
OF THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION COMPANY FOR  
THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1901.

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JANUARY 15, 1902.—Read; and with accompanying papers referred to the Select  
Committee on Industrial Arts and Expositions and ordered to be printed.

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*To the Senate and House of Representatives:*

I transmit herewith a report from the Secretary of State covering a statement showing the receipts and disbursements of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company for the month of November, 1901, furnished by the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission, in pursuance of section 11 of the "Act to provide for celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the purchase of the Louisiana territory," etc., approved March 3, 1901.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

WHITE HOUSE,  
*January 14, 1902.*

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The PRESIDENT:

Referring to Senate Document No. 71, Fifty-seventh Congress, first session, the undersigned, the Secretary of State, has the honor to lay before the President, with a view to its transmission to the Congress, copy of a communication from the president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission, furnishing, in pursuance of section 11 of "An act to provide for celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the purchase of the Louisiana territory," etc., approved March 3, 1901, a statement showing the receipts and disbursements of the Louisiana Exposition Company for the month of November, 1901.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN HAY

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,  
*Washington, January 13, 1902.*

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LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION COMMISSION,  
*St. Louis, Mo., December 28, 1901.*

SIR: As required by the act of Congress approved March 3, 1901, we, by direction of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission, herewith transmit the statement of receipts and expenditures of the Exposition for the month of November, 1901, as submitted by William H. Thompson, treasurer, through Walter B. Stevens, secretary of the Exposition Company.

The financial condition of the company appears to be equal to all its present obligations.

THOS. H. CARTER,  
*President Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission.*  
JOSEPH FLORY,  
*Secretary.*

The PRESIDENT.

LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION COMPANY,  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
*St. Louis, December 16, 1901.*

DEAR SIR: The statement of receipts and disbursements of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company for the month of November, 1901, is furnished by the treasurer, W. H. Thompson, as follows:

To balance, November 1, as per statement to National Commission.....	\$990, 810. 32
Amount received on account of subscriptions to capital stock.....	8, 128. 08
Receipts and balance .....	998, 938. 40
Amount paid out during month of November.....	55, 449. 22
Balance on hand December 1, 1901.....	943, 489. 18

The amount of \$55,449.22 paid out during November was for salaries of the secretary's office, of the publicity bureau, and running expenses of the secretary's office, of standing committees and departments, and on account of the construction department.

Respectfully,

WALTER B. STEVENS,  
*Secretary.*

Mr. JOSEPH FLORY,  
*Secretary Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission, Southern Hotel, City.*

*Statement of disbursements for November, 1901.*

Salaries.....	\$13, 898. 13
Advertising, etc. ....	4, 538. 83
Miscellaneous office expenses .....	18. 45
Entertainment of visitors .....	524. 83
Postage.....	496. 80
Furniture and fixings.....	1, 631. 25
Express charges.....	62. 25
Rent .....	195. 00
Telegrams .....	101. 66
Department director of works.....	27, 313. 03
Letter of credit to foreign agents.....	3, 625. 00
Traveling expenses of authorized agents .....	1, 936. 97
Stationery .....	1, 004. 05
Electric material and labor.....	25. 95
Carriage hire.....	77. 00
Total.....	55, 449. 22

WALTER B. STEVENS, *Secretary.*